

New Publications.

The Macmillan Company's New Holiday Books

The following is a list of some of our new Illustrated Christmas Books, which intending purchasers are invited to cut out and send to any first-class Bookstore with the request that the books be sent "on approval." Illustrated Catalogues containing fuller descriptions may be had by sending name and address to the publishers.

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Valentine Fernance of 124 Second avenue played a joke on his wife yesterday to end a quarrel which had lasted several weeks.

Fernando threatened to kill himself and having mixed up a quantity of ashes and whiskey, drank the stuff. The wife, who wasn't scared a bit, called in the policeman on the block, who thought it wasn't a proper joke. He sent for a Bellevue Hospital ambulance. Dr. Graham Rogers, who came with it, pumped the man out. This operation was performed at the same time as the one with which the policeman and the doctor had all they could do to quiet. After the pumping, Fernando was so sorry, he said he would never drink again, too, and the cop and doctor said the were glad. They told the couple to live happily in future.

REMINISCENCES OF A MARRIED

By WILHELM BAKER.—On Dec. 10, 1899, by the Rev. Theo. S. Henderson, at the residence of the bride's mother, 130 Washington av., Brooklyn. N. Y. Madeline, daughter of Mrs. E. L. Baker, to Frederic J. Wilber.

DIED.

BRADLEY.—On Monday, Dec. 18, 1899, at her residence, 153 Madison av., Maria Hider-mond Bradley, in the 75th year of her age.

Funeral services, at 10:30 A. M., from the Madison Avenue Reformed Church, Madison av., and 57th st.

GRAHAM.

At his residence, in Seabright, N. J., on Monday, Dec. 18, 1899, Malcolm Graham, son of the late John L. Lorimer and Emily Clason Graham.

Funeral services will be held at the Brick Presbyterian church, 6th av. and 37th st., New York city, on Friday morning, Dec. 22, 1899, at 10 o'clock.

MARSHALL.

At Montclair, N. J., Dec. 18, 1899, Seth P. Marshall.

Funeral services at his late residence, 74 Foster place, on Thursday, Dec. 21, 1899. Carriages in waiting on arrival of 2:10 P. M., D. L. & W. train from foot of Barclay st., N. Y. Interment at South Manchester, Conn. Hartford papers please copy.

MULLER.

At Mount Vernon, N. Y., Dec. 18, 1899, Ernst Muller, aged 78 years.

Funeral services will be held from his late residence, No. 28 Summit av., Mount Vernon, on Thursday, Dec. 21, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M.

McKEE.

On Sunday, Dec. 17, 1899, at Morrison st., N. J. A. E. McKee, beloved wife of Russell W. McKee.

Funeral services at the Throop Avenue Presbyterian Church, B. Oakley, Wednesday evening, Dec. 20, 1899, at 8 o'clock. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

PECK.

At Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 18, 1899, Corneilia A. Sinclair, wife of Charles A. Peck.

Notice of funeral services.

THURIEH.

On the 16th inst., Abner D. Thurier, in the 60th year of his life.

The funeral will be at his late residence, No. 49 Sidney place, Brooklyn, on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 2:20 P. M.

WALLACE.

At Montclair, N. J., Dec. 18, 1899, Theodore C. Wallace, on his 57th birthday.

Funeral services at his late residence, 80 Prospect av., on Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1899. Carriages in waiting on arrival of 1:30 P. M. train from foot of Barclay st., N. Y. Boston papers please copy.

WRIGHT.

Suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 18, 1899, at his residence, 59 Morningside av., Arthur F. Wright.

Funeral private.

CYPRESS HILLS CEMETERY.

Office, 1 Madison av., corner 23d st., N. Y.

Miss Moore Honorable Discharged.

Miss Elsie Blum of 882 Douglass street, Brooklyn, who caused a summons to be served on Miss Florence Moore to explain what she knew of the diamond robbery, has been brought before a coroner yesterday in court through her lawyer. The latter characterized the accusations against Miss Moore as outrageous. Miss Moore was honorably dis-

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